

# What Is a Writing Center?

## Resources for Developing Writing Centers Across Brazil

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**T**hese resources were selected because they are

- free
- helpful for launching new writer centers
- focused on (post)graduate writing needs.

**M**uch of this work comes from the US and thus assumes an undergraduate population of writers and substantial instruction in writing before postgraduate work.

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### Free Resources

#### ***Becoming an Ally: Tutoring Multilingual Writers***

[www.ohio.edu/graduate/gwrc](http://www.ohio.edu/graduate/gwrc)

*a tutor training film and discussion guide*

#### ***Explorations of Style***

<https://explorationsofstyle.com/>

*an academic writing blog by Dr. Rachael Cayley*

#### ***Graduate Writing Across the Disciplines: Identifying, Teaching, and Supporting***

<https://wac.colostate.edu/books/atd/graduate/> (more free volumes available!)

*free ebook by Brooks-Gillies, Garcia, Kim, Manthey, & Smith*

#### ***Patter***

<https://patthomson.net/>

*an academic blog by Dr. Pat Thomson focused on dissertation writing*

#### ***Praxis: A Writing Center Journal***

<http://www.praxis.uwc.com>

*an academic journal of writing center scholarship*

#### ***Working with Graduate Writers: A Faculty Resource***

[https://owl.purdue.edu/writinglab/faculty/documents/](https://owl.purdue.edu/writinglab/faculty/documents/Writing_Lab_Faculty_Guide_Summer_%202018.pdf)

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*by Michelle M. Campbell & Vicki R. Kennell*

### Writing Center Journals

#### ***Writing Center Journal***

<http://www.writingcenterjournal.org/>

#### ***Praxis: A Writing Center Journal***

<http://www.praxisuwc.com/>

#### ***WLN: A Journal of Writing Center Scholarship***

*(formerly Writing Lab Newsletter)*

<http://wlnjournal.org>

#### ***The Peer Review***

<http://thepeerreview-iwca.org>

\*Many other journals publish writing center scholarship as well

### Professional Organizations

#### **Consortium on Graduate Communication**

Small, friendly organization supporting the communication needs of (post)graduate writers. Free listserv. Travel grants available.

<http://gradconsortium.org>

#### **International Writing Centers Association**

Primary professional organization for writing centers, including global affiliates. Free webinars and listserv. Research grants avail.

<http://writingcenters.org>

#### **La Red Latino Americana de Centros y Programas de Escritura**

Latin America's writing center association.

<https://sites.google.com/site/redlacpe/>

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